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| NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES | | Docket Number (Optional) NY-DNAG 310-US | |
| In re Application of Leyen, et al. | | | |
| Application Number 10/549,731-Conf. #1384 | | Filed October 25, 2006 | |
| For POLYLOCK INSERT FOR AN ARTIFICIAL HIP JOINT | | | |
| Art Unit 3738 | | Examiner J.-D Neilken Stewart | |

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the last decision of the examiner.

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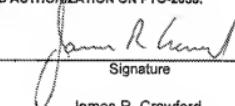
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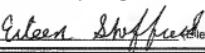
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